

1. Define /explain; coureur des bois, Crown, Sainte Marie among the hurons, Metis, Etienne Brule, habitants, seigneur, filles du roi, assimilate.
2. Identify three ways in which Donnacona and Iroquois people helped Jacques Cartier and his followers when they first arrived.
3. Explain why Samuel de Champlain was so important in the development of new France.
4. Describe the role of religious figures in the life of new France.

1. Coureurs de bois, the coureur de bois were fur traders who left the colony directly with the trappers and hunters. While doing these things the coureur de bois operations were doing them illegally and they had to be very careful not to get caught.

Crown, the crown is the king. He was the one who sent Jacques Cartier on his voyage and the crown wanted to find a shipping route to the Orient to import silk and other products to Europe.

Sainte Marie among the Hurons, the Jesuits were the people who built up Sainte Marie among the Hurons and there were about 65 people living there. Then in 1649 they decided to abandon the Sainte Marie and they built a new center on Christian Island. That new center was no safer than the first one so the Iroquois walked across the ice and destroyed that mission.

Metis, the Metis were people who were actually from 2 different cultures 1 side was European the other side was First Nations. They were called the Metis because they back then in French Metis means mixed.

Etienne Brule, was sent by Samuel De Champlain to travel among the Hurons. He then established close relationships with the French and the Hurons. But he was a free spirit who annoyed the Iroquois who were enemies of the Hurons. He annoyed them by being so close with the Hurons. The French then turned Quebec into France and Brule was no longer welcome there because Champlain said he

betrayed france. so he returned to live with the hurons but the Iroquois then captured brule and they killed him.

Habitants, the habitants were farming familys who would pay rent to the seigneur. The habitants had good stable lives growing crops and working hard in their fields all year round.

Seigneur, the seigneur is the person who was often friends with the king and the king would give the seigneur a plot of land that he and his family could live on and he could split up the land to make other farms and plots of land for other people and familys to live on.

Filles du roi, the filles du roi were single women that were imported to help new france expand because there were a shortage of single women back then and the filles du roi were brought in and without the hard work and motherly skills then new france would not have had as many people as they ended up having

Assimilate, the assimilate were first nations peoples, converting them to Christianity and French ways wiping out the differences that made them distinct people.

2. one way donnacona helped the French when they came was when they convince donnacona to borrow his sons back to france to show the king what was happening. Donnacona told him that he could find a land with a lot of precious metals and materials. Donnacona also tried to stop cariter from going to the place he had already told him to go because he thought those people there would hurt him and he did not want that happening.

3. Samuel de champlain was very important to the discovery of new france because he provided a map of the ocean to travel to new france. he also established a military reliance with the huron and when the Iroquois attacked he joined in a war between the two tribes and killed two of their chiefs and the Iroquois immediately retreated because of champlain and without champlain there they could have been attacked and overwhelmed without

champlain and if that had of happened then they could have taken over and then new france could have not been as successful as it was.

4. the role of religious figures in new france was very important because back then in new france Christianity was the only major religion until the early 1500's. the Jesuit priests were religious figures that helped develop new france because they were making schools for boys and without that then they would not have had educated men for the different jobs. Then came along the ursuline nuns and they were religious figures that helped out in the successfulness of new france because they were the ones who started up the schools for girls because back then there were no schools for girls and they felt that was unfair. So they decided to build schools for girls that taught reading, writing, arithmetic and home making. To get married in new france the man would probably want an educated lady as a wife to take care of the children.